

ATTORNEY ABELL MAKES A FLOP

Chehalis County Prosecutor Now a Democrat.

W. E. Abell, prosecuting attorney of Chehalis county, is in town today from Montesano.

LIKES THIS STATE.

J. G. Gregory, of the Deadwood, S. D., Daily Pioneer-Times, is in Seattle.

OBSERVATIONS.

Many an actor is unable to act like one. It isn't always best to put your trust in a trust.

The sandbagger knocks people down when he holds them up. A bigamist refers to his two wives as his better two-thirds.

The literary warrior is continually discharging his magazine gun. Fame is of but little use to the man who hasn't the ability to back it up.

But few people are ever as happy or as miserable as they imagine they are.

A man considers woman on Sunday and he considers himself the other six days. Only a baseball umpire is great enough to exhibit his indifference to public opinion.

Somehow a man never appreciates the silver lining of the cloud when he gets caught in a shower.

Time may be money, but the man who is compelled to spend lots of time in looking for a job is apt to have other views.

NEW FREIGHT AGENT.

J. O. McMullen, chief clerk in the office of Gen. Agent Alex. Tinning, of the Northern Pacific, has been appointed traveling freight agent for the Sound district.

A CHEERFUL BLAZE.

An impressive ceremony took place at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Madison Street M. E. church.

Humor of the Day.

Election Inspector (severely)—"Sir, have you ever read the constitution of the United States?" Naturalized Citizen—"No, have you?"

Turn About—"So that young puppy wants to take you away from me just as I need you the most?"

He Hadn't Seen It—Rollingstone—"Have you ever seen the seahorse?" Droll—"No; I can't afford it. All my earnings are invested down there, though. My wife goes every summer."

A Horse on Him—"Say, Dennis, I've known James come to home on a furlough?"

Hard to Distinguish—"What interests you so deeply?" she asked. "I am trying to find out my mind," he answered.

"How do you expect to get on with the United States?" "Fine," answered the sultan of Sulu.

"In the bright lexicon of youth," piped the little boy who was declaiming at school.

"Well, Tommy," said the teacher, "go on."

"I've done gone forgot what the word is, ma'am."

"Faint heart never won fair lady." "How about brunettes?"

"I'm told that the photographer married his model."

answer to the suit. "What did he say?" "Admitted the engagement, but says it was contracted at the seashore."

They order things so very queer Across La Belle France: Where Liberty wears Riata's leers, And Justice leads the dance.

"I don't see anything remarkable about the man."

"Don't sh! Why, that man—that man right there—is the only man in town who gave a dollar for the Por-tor-Rison fund."

Mrs. Smith—I'm afraid I shall have to stop giving Robby the tonic the doctor left for him.

Mr. Smith—Why, isn't he any better?

Mrs. Smith—Oh, yes, but he slid down the banisters six times this morning, broke the hall lamp, two vases, a jug, and a looking glass, and I don't feel as if I could stand much more.

"Does the train wait here long enough for one to eat a beefsteak?" "Yes."

"You know the length of time it stops?" "No; but I know the size of the beefsteaks."

May—Did he like the duets we sang?

Eay—I can't decide from what he said.

May—Oh, I suppose you'll think he liked your voice best?

Eay—Well, really, I don't know exactly what he meant. He said that I sang well, but that you were better still.

Mamma—Hobby, Hobby! Is that an ink spot on the library carpet?

Robbie (hastily)—An ink spot? No, indeed! Not if I got it there!

"He has very decided views, hasn't he?" "Yes; they are decided by his wife."

HIS LEGS BROKEN.

Lewis Larson, a logger age 32, who had both legs broken by the overturning of a donkey engine in a logging camp at Port Susan.

HINTS ON THE TOILET

Some Valuable Suggestions and Useful Recipes.

Three pints of water should be taken each day. Half the women don't drink enough water.

It takes a long time to cure enlarged pores, and the best way is by the use of the brush and a pure hygienic soap.

A good hair tonic is made as follows: Phenolic acid, 2 grams; tincture of nux vomica, 7 1/2 grams; tincture of red cinchona, 20 grams; tincture of cantharides, 2 grams; cologne, 150 grams; sweet almond oil, 50 grams.

Never pull out a gray hair, for 20 will come to its funeral. When a gray hair is pulled out the dead fluid at the root is scattered among the healthy roots, and grayness follows.

The white of an egg, so often advised, will darken blond, Auburn or chestnut hair.

Spilled Tobacco. Tobacco is the most sensitive thing in the world.

To Curl Feathers. It was pay the average woman to buy a comb and learn to curl her feathers at home.

The cheapest postal service in the world is that of Japan, where for two sen—about seven tenths of a penny—letters are conveyed all over the empire.

"That's why I went. Whenever a man says 'Let's talk it over quietly and reasonably,' you may depend on his being so angry it won't take more than three words to make him fight."

CHARGED WITH INCENDIARISM

Charles Mullen in Trouble at British Columbia.

Charles Mullen and Robert Cameron, the former a gambler, and the latter a contractor, are under arrest at Kamloop, B. C., on the charge of incendiarism.

The assessed valuation of the real and personal estate in Milwaukee for 1900 will show an increase of nearly \$3,000,000 over a year ago.

The Italian statistician, Luigi Bodio, reports in the Giornale Degli Economisti that the Italian railways carried in 1897 nearly 12,500,000 first class passengers.

California can boast of possessing the smallest postoffice. It is in Virginia, in San Diego county.

Librarian E. H. Anderson, of the Pittsburg Carnegie Library, claims that the children will have in its next extension the finest reading room in the world.

Smoking, long common among the Burmese children, is on the increase. The only royal M. D. in the world is Queen Amalie of Portugal.

Counterfeit coins, especially half dollars, have been freely passed at a recent camp meeting in Delaware, where.

An apparatus has been devised for automatically photographing people as they enter shops and other places.

The value of all precious stones found in the United States in 1898 was \$160,920, as compared with \$126,675 in 1897.

The government is paying from \$200 to \$500 a day for each vessel carrying to the Philippines, and \$1,000 a day for each vessel that carries troops.

The 130 year old grapevine at Hampton court, England, is reported to be as vigorous as ever, although it is not now allowed to produce as many grapes as in its prime.

Women as well as men can ride on the cars—such is the translation of paragraph No. 2 in the rules or notices to the public, prepared by the Korean president of the Seoul Electric Railway company.

A North Georgia candidate says: "We want the office because we think we deserve it; and we deserve it because we have lived here ten years and have never had anything except the opportunity of running for it."

The military household of the Czar is composed of 28 officers of various ranks, 23 of whom belong to the army and 15 to the navy.

"I am frank to say," he said, "that I feel you encouraged my attentions." "Perhaps," she replied, "but was I to know whether you wanted to marry me or only to borrow money from father?"

According to tables made by sportsmen, over \$50,000,000 is lost on the turf every year.

There is one horse for every 25 persons in England.

Parliament used on the best banjo is made from wolf skin.

The number of foreigners in the German empire is about half a million.

At meetings of the British cabinet no official record of any kind is kept of the proceedings.

A few weeks ago the Krupp factory turned out its 20,000th large gun for European arm.

In St. Petersburg is the largest bronze statue in existence—that of Peter the Great, which weighs one thousand tons.

Since the outbreak of the plague at Oporto, Portugal, there have been 26 cases and 11 deaths.

Among the infantry regiments of the British army are ten nominally Scotch, eight Irish, three Welsh and forty-three English.

One worm has turned. An invention has been completed by which the long suffering drug store directory can only be consulted by dropping a penny in the slot.

The largest mass of pure rock salt in the world lies under the province of Galicia, Hungary. It is known to be 550 miles long, 20 broad, and 250 feet in thickness.

TENNIS MEN WILL COME

Visit of National Champions Now Assured.

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AMUSEMENT BULLETIN. Third Avenue Theater, Tonight—"From Siro to Sen."

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Labor Day Ball—Armory, Germania hall, and Madison street pavilion.

Young Amanda Hughes, of Douglas county, Mo., stole a horse from John B. Jenkins and started to the Indian Territory to meet her sweet heart, who had been forbidden to visit her at her home.

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Public story-tellers still earn a good livelihood in Japan. In Tokio 600 of them ply their trade, provided with a small table, a fan and paper wrapper to illustrate and emphasize the points of their tales.

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